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Later References.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. Fourteen

Part B for Nov '34

SUBJECT.

Re- Cr. Cases launched against the Printers & Publishers of Indian Press and the Mukkala Pustaka Press.

WD 01965—GPB—15,000—7-7-34

Dr. Abdul Aziz
4-XII-34

Serial No.

Letter No. R.A.P 57 dated 21st March 1933 from the Registrar of authorised publications reporting that Complaints have been launched against the proprietor & printer of the Indian Press & Vakkaleppakka Press Bangalore city under the Printing Press & Newspapers Regulation of 1867.

The Supt of Police Bangalore city made a search in these Presses & found certain printed works which did not contain the Printer's name as required by Sec 3 of the Reg. Copies of these works had not been sent to the Dy. Commr as required by Sec 9 & rule 1. The Supt of Police reported to the Registrar & the Complaint prosecution was been launched.

According to Sec 3, every book or paper shall have printed on it the name of the printer & the place of printing and (if published) the name of the publisher & the place of publication. Sec 12 penalises the omission to do this & the printer & publisher is liable to a punishment of fine not exceeding Rs 5000 or simple imprisonment upto 2 years or both.

Sec 9 requires delivery of a copy of every printed work to the Govt & Rule 1 directs that the copy be delivered to the D.C who sends on to the Registrar. omission to deliver

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is made punishable by sec 16, & the printer is liable to forfeit a sum not exceeding Rs 500.

ii) The Registrar states in his letter that Complaints have been launched against the "Proprietor & Printer" of these Press. It is not clear if the Proprietor & Printer is the same person. Under sec 12 it is the printer & publisher that is liable, & under sec 16 only the printer. The proprietor is not made liable under these sections.

iii) According to the D.S.P.'s report items I (i) & (ii) & II (i) do not contain the name of the printer & the Press. The printing of these Constitutes an offence under sec 3 & 12. In respect of the three works only the printer's name is omitted. evidently the name of the Press has been printed. Strictly the printer's name has also to be printed under sec 3; but it is possible to contend that the name of the printer will be ascertainable from the name of the Press. It may be argued on the other side that under sec 4 it is only the keeper of the Press that makes a declaration & the name of the printer cannot be found in all cases from the name of the Press. However an offence technically at least has been

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Committed in these cases also.

6) There seems to have been publication also, as copies were found in Trunkan.

7) The main point which the prosecution will have to prove is the printing of these works in these Presses. Copies of the works being found therein is not proof of printing. The D.S.P refers to some points of proof, & these seem to be evidence of printing

8) The D.C. & the Registrar state they have not received copies, & so there is prima facie an offence under Sec 16. Under Sec 16 it is the copies which should have been delivered or any person authorised by that officer that has to apply to the Magistr & the forfeiture. Rule 6 requires the Registrar to institute prosecutions. But this cannot override Sec 16. It is presumed that the Registrar has been authorised by the D.C. to apply under Sec 16.

Chief Secretary) CE 22/3/33

9) The portion marked A may be brought to the notice of the Dy Comms & the Registrar.

Second Member / Dewan

MM 22/3/33

CE 22/3/33

10) CE 23/3/33 11) MM 24-3-33 CE 2.4.33

DEWAN'S OFFICE 23 1933 In person MM

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WD 0246 —GPB—15,000—22-8-32

Complaints launched under news paper Act

Law File No.	125	of 1932.	General and Revenue Secretariat

Hon'ble,

The D. of B'lore

D.O. 172/32-33 dated 22nd March 1933 stating that 4 Cases have been launched in the City Magistrate's Ct B'lore under the Mysore Press Regn against the proprietor and printer of the Andhra Patra and the Mahakala publishers, and that the P.P. B'lore has been requested to conduct the prosecution

The Registrar of Authorised publications Letter no. R A P 5/1 dated 28th March Soliciting sanction of Govt to engage the service of the P.P. B'lore to conduct the prosecution in the Complaints launched against under Printing Press Act.

The D.M. B'lore

no. J1-898/32-33. dated 25th March'33 intimating that 4 Cases have been launched 2 against each press and requesting that Sanction of Govt may be accorded to engage the service of the P.P. B'lore

Reference paras 1 to 10 Supra.

12) Submit with a draft G.O. Sanctioning Dft letter is also put up with reference to para 9 Supra.

SD
25/3.

Complaints launched under Newspapers Reg

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2) For perusal & draft letter upon issue
Chief Secretary)
Ce
25/8/33

14) The draft G.O sanctioning the engagement of the Public Prosecutor may be approved
Second Member J
Hon Speaker
NLL
25/8/33

Second Member Council
28 MAR 1933
No. 1902

RG
28/3/33
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15) Ku
28/3/36
RNP
25/3

16) NLL
28/8/33

To,
The D.M. Bilaspur
Reg: amended Rule
G.O. no. P. 5194-95 Law
125-32-3 dated 25th March 33
according sanction to engage
the services of the Pbr. Bilaspur

25th Aug.
17) Re para 9 above. As directed I have communicated personally to the Hd. Regr, the Registrar & the P. Pr. & I was informed that the Hd. Regr communicated to the Registrar orally through the D.S.P the authorisation to file the Complaints.
Chief Secretary)
Ce
28/8/33

NLL
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Ce
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RNP
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OFFICE RECEIPT
30 MAR 1933

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18) Dft to re PBr. Blore Calling for copies of Complaints filed. is pursuit for reply

ISD 3/4

Issue
MM
3/4

Issued no. cl. 5396 d 6.4.33

From,

The PBr. Bangalore

No. 840/32-33 dated 20th April 1933

forwarding Copies of Complaints filed in the City Magistrate Court Blore.

19) Submitted for perusal

ISD 27/4 MSK

MM
27.4.

Sus A
7/4/33

20) Please act as the PBr has replied thereto press made in this case, Cases on 20/4/33 & thereafter

MM
2/5/33

Sus C
29/4/33

21) Dft pursuit.

ISD MSK
4/5

22) Issue today

MM
2/5

Issued no. cl. 5675 d 3.5.33.

Sus A
5/5/33

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Enc.

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
BANGALORE DIVISION,
DISTRICT OFFICE BUILDINGS.

Bangalore 8th May 1933

FROM

The *Public Prosecutor,*
Bangalore Division, Bangalore.

To

GENERAL SECRETARY
9 MAY 1933
No. Law

The General Secretary to the Govt.
of H. H. The Maharaja of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

SIR,

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter No. P.675/Law. 125-32-6 dated the 3rd May 1933 and to state that the cases referred to therein are part heard and are posted to the 9th instant for further evidence. I am herewith annexing a separate report about the case.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Public Prosecutor.

P.O. 9/5

Submitted for perusal
10/5/33.

1) These cases relate to the prosecutions launched under the Press & Registration of Books Act 1867 in respect of a book called "In the Wake of the ordinances" & another.

Submitted for perusal
Chief Secy)

10/5/33

1st Member

11/5

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OFFICE OF THE FIRST MEMBER
11 MAY 1933
No. 9.3.89

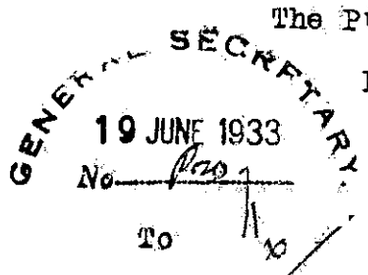
6546/3328

No. 1014/31—33

Office of the Public Prosecutor,
Bangalore Division,
Dated, Bangalore, the 16th June 1933.

From

The Public Prosecutor,
Bangalore Division, Bangalore.



To

The General Secretary to the Government of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Sir, C.C.Nos 911, 912/32-33 on the file of the City Magistrate, Bangalore. (Press cases)

I have the honour to state that Judgments in the above two cases have been pronounced today convicting the Accused in C.C. 911/32-33 sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 40/- and Accused in C.C. 912/32-33 to pay a fine of Rs 200/- in default 6 months S.I.

Copies of Judgments will be obtained and sent to you in due course.

19.6

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

S Doraiswamy Ge.
Public Prosecutor.

K.H.R.

Submitted for perusal.

2b) The other 2 case, viz C.C. 909/32-33 & 910/32-33 are posted to 20.6.33 for

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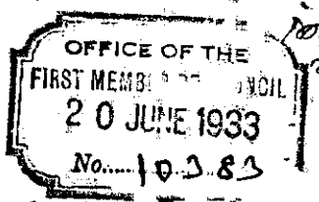
First Member



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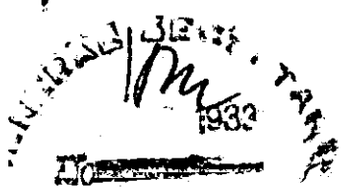
No. 971/32—33

Office of the Public Prosecutor,
Bangalore Division,
Dated, Bangalore, the 5th June 1933.



From

The Public Prosecutor,
Bangalore Division, Bangalore.

9/6/33

To

The General Secretary, to the Government of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Sir,

I have the honour to furnish below for the information of Government the progress made in the following cases on the file of the City Magistrate, Bangalore. (Press cases)

I) C.C.909/32-33 has been adjourned to 20-6-33 for want of time.

2) C.C.9IO/32-33 has been adjourned to 20-6-33 for want of time.

3) C.C.9II/32-33. Two defence witnesses were examined and the case is posted to 9-6-33 for further proceedings.

4) C.C.9I2/32-33. Two defence witnesses were examined and the case is posted to 9-6-33 for further proceedings.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Public Prosecutor.

K.H.R.

Serial No.

Draft.

The Pbr. & B'lore &

no. 1048/32-33 dt 27.6.33 enclosing photo C.C. 911/32 of 32-33 on the file of the City Magte B'lore, stand posted to 18.7.33.

no. 1050/32-33 dt 27.6.33 forwarding certified Copies of judgments in C.C. 911 & 912/32-33 (Press cases).

Reference paras 26-27 supra.

28) Messrs S. R. S. Raghavan and V.S. narayana Rao are the 1st and 2nd accused respectively in each of the 2 Cases C.C. 911 & 912/32-33, launched under Newspapers Act XXV of 1867. The prosecution against the 2nd accused was dropped in both the Cases as he was said to be sick. 1st accused Mr. S. R. S Raghavan was charged in both the Cases under sections 9 & 16 and 3 & 12 of said Act. In C.C. 912 he is sentenced to pay a fine of Rs 200/- or in default 6 months S.I. and in C.C. 911 a fine of Rs 400 is imposed.

Copies of judgment in both the Cases are put for perusal

ISD 29/6. MSK

29) These two cases related to the book called "In the Wake of the ordinances". The author of this is Mr. Venkatapathia. The Printer was prosecuted for offence under Secs 3 & 12 of the Press & Reg Act of 1867 in C.C. 912 of 32-33 and for an offence under Sec 9 & 16 of the same Act in CC. 911 of 32-33

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In both the cases the printer, Mr. S. N. S. Raghavan has been convicted & sentenced to a fine of Rs 200/- & Rs 40/- respectively.

Submitted for perusal

Gen Secy
Chief Secy

mp 29/6.

1.7.33

1st Member

Dewan

RR 3/7/33

mp 3/7

mp 15/7

30) From the judgment in C.C. 912 it is clear that the name of the Printer is not given in many books — including books printed in the first Press. The attention of the Regr of Asst. Publns should be drawn to this

Sec 14/7/33

RR 14/7/33

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RR

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In connection with this book, there has been some correspondence with the Residency in PP Secy

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(1) Dft arb? for appl with reference to para 30 Supra

ISD 17/7

Issue PM 17.7.33

To,

The Regr of Authorised Publications no. P. 315 dated 10.7.33 forwarding Copies of Judgments in C.C. 911 to 915/32-33 and informing that the name of the printer is not given in many books including books printed in the Govt Press.

Sec C 18/7/33

From,

The PM. Bldg

no. 73/33-34 dated 28.7.33 submitting for Sanction 2 bills of remuneration for services rendered in ~~the above~~ 911 to 915/32-33 on the file of the Coy magistrate, Bldg

The PM may be asked to submit the bills through the ~~Registrar of authorised publications~~ District magistrate as required under rule 58. of the legal affairs rule.

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PM 1/8

Dft returning put up.

ISD 1/8

Issue PM 1/8

Issued no. P. 593 d 4.7.33

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Law File No. 125 of 1932. | General and Revenue Secretariat

From,

The Registrar of Authorised Publications
No. R. Ap 32 dated 16.8.33 forwarding a copy of the letter dated 10th Aug'33 received from the Supt Govt Press Madras, and suggesting that the imprint may be modified so as to conform to that adopted in the Madras Govt press which seems to satisfy the law.

It is stated that the following form is adopted at Govt press Madras in the matter of imprinting the printer's name in Govt publications.

"Madras - printed by the Supt Govt press." (year)"

The form that has been in practice

B'lore - printed at the Govt press". Since Sec 3 of the News papers Act. 1867 requires the name of the printer to be printed in every book or paper. the form now proposed may perhaps be adopted. Actual name of the Supt or other officer in Charge of the Govt. Press seems to be unnecessary.

Subd for orders with ref^ce to para 30 supra.

ISD
23/8.

The imprint may be as follows:-
"Bangalore - Printed by the Superintendent, Govt Press. It is not necessary that the name of the Supt should be printed.

Forwarded with Compts to the Govt Advocate for opinion

MPogson
23/8/33

For

GOVT. ADVOCATE'S O
25 AUG 1933
BANGALORE

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No. Poll. 34/33-1
7.9.33

GENERAL DEPARTMENT
7 SEP. 1933
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Returned with compliments.

As observed in 14, Mysore Chief Court Reports, page 253, and I. L. R., 16, Madras, 443, the intention of section 3 of the Act is to inform the public who the responsible printer is and to convey that information on the face of the paper. The imprint suggested by the Assistant Secretary clearly fulfils the requirements of the section and may, I think, be adopted.

A. Narayanaswamy Ayyangar
Government Advocate.
5-9-1933.

H.

Dft reply
DMP
8/9/33

Dft Sub? for appr

I&D 8/9 for perusal before issue

Issued)

DMP 8-9-33

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DMP 9/9

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DMP 9/9

Office of the Second Member of Council.
9 SEP. 1933
No. 1446

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Receipt back from Home Office

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Law File No. 125 of 1932.

General and Revenue Secretariat

To,

The Supt Govt. Printing

no. P. 1147 dt 12. 9. 33 suggesting the form to be adopted and informing that the name of the Supt needs not be printed.

Secy.

to await the paper on remaining questions.

Received from Secy's on 5/11/34

J 4728/33/h

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT,
GOVERNMENT PRINTING IN MYSORE, &
Registrar of Authorised Publications in Mysore

No. R.A.P.106. Enclosures.

Bangalore, dated the 27th Feb. *193*4.

Law-125-32-11

FROM

B. PUTTAIYA, ESQ., B.A.,
Superintendent, Government Printing, & Registrar of
Authorised Publications, *Bangalore.*

To

H. V. Ramaswami, Esq., M.A., B.L.,
Secretary to Government,
General Department,
BANGALORE

27 FEB 1934

No. Pas.

SIR,

I have the honour to state that a summons in Crl. petition No: 103 of 33-34/Crl. Case No: 909/32-33 has been received by me from the Registrar, High Court of Mysore, Bangalore, with his letter No: 666, dated the 23rd instant, to appear at the High Court on the 1st proximo in person or by Advocate. The original summons has been returned to the High Court, duly served, and the duplicate copy is herewith submitted for kind perusal.

Law XXX
Please ascertain the enquiry if this case is coming on for today
pm
1/3/34

I request that the summons may be kindly transmitted to the Government Advocate and sanction kindly accorded for the Government Advocate to appear in the above case and take all further action. Pending formal sanction of Government, I have requested the Government Advocate to kindly appear and conduct the case at the High Court on the 1st proximo.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

B. Puttaiya
Registrar of
Authorised Publications in Mysore.

Law
It is ascertained that the case is not for hearing today. DOF sanctioning is put-up for appearance or other orders.
1/3/34.

* These are cases launched for offences under the Press Regn Bks' Regn of 1867. The transfer application made before the Sessions was dismissed & this is a further application to the High Ct. The draft G.O. may be approved.
Gen. Secy
pm 1/3/34

2. MAR. 1934

Issue
pm 2/3

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Serial No.

To,

The Regr of authorised Publications
Comptroller to Govt
Govt. Ad.

Govt C
9/8/34

I.o no. P. 4142 Law 125/32-R. d 6.3.34 authorising the Govt. Ad. to take necessary action in the matter

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WD 0434—GPB—15,000—12-10-33

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In reply please refer to
No. 625

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNMENT ADVOCATE
IN MYSORE,

Bangalore, 21st March *193* 4.

FROM

A. R. NAGESVARA IYER, ESQ., B.A., B.L.,
GOVERNMENT ADVOCATE IN MYSORE,
BANGALORE.

To

The General Secretary to the Govt.
of H. H. The Maharaja of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

SIR,

With reference to Government Order No. P.4142-44/Law. 125-32-12 dated the 5th/6th March 1934, I have the honor to state that Criminal Petition No.103 of 1933-34 on the file of the High Court of Mysore, (S.R.S.Raghavan VS. Mr. B. Puttaiya) came on for final disposal on 15-3-1934 and Orders were passed transferring the case in question from the file of the City Magistrate, Bangalore to that of the Special First Class Magistrate, Bangalore.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

A. R. Nagesvara Iyer
Government Advocate.

CSN/1.

Submitted for perusal

II member) 26/3/34

OFFICE OF THE
SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL.
27 MAR 1934
No. 6446

Serial No.

From,

The Registrar of authorised Publications No. R.A.P. 131 dated 9th May 1934 forwarding duplicate of the Summons received by him in Crl. Pet. 115/33rd on the file of the H. Ct. of Mys (S.R.S Raghavan vs H.B. Putty) relating to the transfer of C.C. 910/3233 from the file of the City Mag. Blore, and soliciting sanction of Govt to appoint Govt. Ad. on his behalf to oppose the transfer appn.

On a similar petition in C.C. 909/3233 on the file of the city Mag. Blore, orders were passed by the H. Ct. transferring the case to the Sp. & I. class Mag. Blore.

Subn: with a draft G.O. sanctioning Govt. Adv.

180 14/5.

C.C. 909 was transferred by the High Ct from the city magte's ct to the First class magte's ct. This is a further appn in respect of C.C. 910.

Draft go may be appd

Yenday) 14/5
Second Member.

Law 14.5.34

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Law 15-5-34

OFFICE OF THE SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL. 14 MAY 1934 No. 7-3796

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WD 01536—GPB—7,500—5-4-34

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File No. 125 of 1934. | General and Revenue Secretariat

To,

The S. Ad.

Regr of authorised Publications

Comptroller to Govt.

G.O. no. P. 5285-87 Law 125-32-14 dt 16.5.34

sanctioning the proposal of the Regr of auth Pubns

Sri C Kunhan
Proprietor
7/6/34

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Enc. .....

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
BANGALORE DIVISION,
DISTRICT OFFICE BUILDINGS,
Bangalore,...13th October.....1934.

GENERAL SECRETARY 1 OCT

FROM

G.S.Doraswamy Iyer, Esq.,B.A.,B.L.,
Public Prosecutor,
Bangalore Division, Bangalore.

To

The General Secretary to the Government of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

SIR,

RE: Press cases before the First Class Magistrate, Bangalore.

I have the honour to state that the accused in these cases pleaded guilty in C.C.No.169/33-34 and were convicted and fined eight annas each. The fines were low as it was an admitted fact that several other important presses had also infringed the Regulation in question which was very little known. I however pressed for a slightly higher fine.

As the other case was in respect of the same book and as the accused were convicted on a plea of guilty in the previous case, I withdrew the case under Section 494 I.P.C. in consultation with the District Magistrate,- Bangalore.

Submitted for perusal

Chief Sec)
CHIEF SECRETARY
20 OCT. KHR.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Public Prosecutor.

OFFICE OF THE FIRST MEMBER OF COUNCIL
21 OCT. 1934
No. 315-7

CONFIDENTIAL.

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No. R. A. P. 54
Encl. one.

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF AUTHORIZED PUBLICATIONS IN MYSORE.

Bangalore, dated 21st M A R C H 1933

H. S Rao
Please bring up
Secy 21/3/33

Law/25-32-1

FROM

B. PUTTAIYA, ESQ., B.A.,
Registrar of Authorized Publications in Mysore, Bangalore.

To

N. MADHAVA RAO, ESQ., B. A., B. L.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness
- the Maharaja of Mysore, BANGALORE.

SIR,

I have the honour to submit herewith a copy of letter No. C.C.367/32-33, dated 19th instant, received from the Superintendent of Police, Bangalore City, regarding the infringement of Sections 3 and 9 of Act XXV of 1867 by the Indian Press and Makkalapustaka Press, Bangalore City, and to state that on receipt of this information, complaints have been launched against the Proprietor and Printer of these Presses in the City Magistrate's Court yesterday as required by Rule 6 prescribed under the provisions of Section 20 of the said Act and published in Government Notification No. 7406-Mis.2172, dated 23rd December 1899. The help of the Public Prosecutor has been secured for conducting the cases in the Court. The result of these cases will be intimated in due course.

I have the honour to be,

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

B. Puttaiya

REGISTRAR.

KGS.

Copy of letter No. C.C.37/32-33, dated 19th March 1933, from the Superintendent of Police, Bangalore City, to the Registrar of Authorised Publications in Mysore, Bangalore.

...??...

CASES UNDER SECTIONS 3 AND 9 READ WITH SEC. 12 AND 16 OF THE MYSORE NEWSPAPER & PRESS REGULATIONS.

I have the honour to state that on confidential information received to the effect, that an unauthorised pamphlet under the caption " NO-TAX CAMPAIGN IN KARNATAKA " was printed at the Indian Press and was printed and bound in the Makkalapustaka Press, for being despatched to Madras, Bombay and other ~~xxxxx~~ foreign places, in connection with the furtherance of the Civil Disobedience Movement, I went to the said Presses and verified the same. Orders of the City Magistrate were then obtained and cases under sections 3 and 9 read with sections 12 and 16 of the Mysore Newspaper and Press Regulations were registered against the Proprietors of the Indian Press and the Makkalapustaka Press and were investigated.

When searches were conducted in these Presses, the following printed books and pamphlets were seized under Mahazars.

I. In the Indian Press :-

(i) Pamphlet entitled ' No-Tax Campaign in Karnataka ' which bears neither the name of the Printer or the Press.

(ii) Membership forms book without the names of the Printer and the Press.

(iii) Portion of a pamphlet entitled ' In the wake of the ordinances' written by Mr. S. Venkatapathiah, which does not bear the name of the Printer.

(iv) Pledge form book
(v) Mysore Khadi Association book
(vi) Rate-payers' Association Book.

} These three books do not bear the name of the Printers.

II. The Makkalapustaka press :-

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II. The Makkalapusthaka Press :-

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Registrar of Authorised
Publications in Mysore, Bangalore.

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D. O. CC 172/32-33-Gen Secy

MR. K. V. ANANTARAMAN,
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER.

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BANGALORE.

Dated the 22nd March 1933.

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Dear Sir,

In continuation of my D.O. letter No. F.C. 8404/32-33 dated the 28th February 1933 regarding the search of the premises of the Makkala Pustaka Press and the Indian Press and of the houses of certain individuals by the Bangalore City Police, I enclose herein copies of reports No. C.C. 367/32-33 dated the 6th and 21st March 1933, received from the Superintendent of Police Bangalore City on the subject. It will be seen from these reports that after investigation into the matter four cases have been launched in the City Magistrate's Court, Bangalore for breaches of the Mysore Press Regulation. In view of the importance of the cases, it is necessary to engage the services of the Public Prosecutor to conduct the prosecution of these cases. I have requested him to do so and a formal request has been made separately to Government for according sanction to this arrangement.

Yours sincerely,

K V Anantaraman

N. Madhava Rao, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Copy of report No. C.C. 367/32-33 dated the 6th March 1933, from the District Superintendent of Police, Bangalore ~~City~~ City to the Inspector-General of Police in Mysore, Bangalore-

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Searches in the Indian Press and the Makkalapusthaka Press.

With reference to your D.O. No. Nil dated the 5th March 1933, directing me to send a further detail report in connection with the investigation of offences committed under Sections 3 & 9 read with Sections 12 and 16 of the Mysore Newspaper and Press Regulation, by the Proprietors of the Indian Press and the - Makkalapusthaka Press, I have the honour to submit as follows:-

I have already reported that as the names of the - Printer and the Press had not been printed on the Pamhlet styled " No-Tax Campaign in Karnataka " A brief Survey - by the Proprietors of the Indian Press and the Makkalapusthaka Press, orders of the City Magistrate were obtained to investigate the offences committed thereby under Sections 3 and 9 read with Sections 12 and 16 of the Mysore Newspaper and Press Regulation, as the - Offences were not cognizable by the Police. Two cases were - registered, one against the Makkalapusthaka Press and the other against the Indian Pfess and prompt investigation was undertaken. Both the presses were duly searched, and copies of the pamphlet styled " No-Tax Campaign in Karnataka- A Brief Survey ", and - other pamphlets and books, on which the names of the printers and the presses had not been printed, were also seized.

Further investigation disclosed that a large number of copies of this pamphlet entitled " No-Tax Campaign in Kannataka were clandestinely removed by Mr. C. Aswathanarayan Rao in a - taxi, and the driver of this taxi one G.M. Das was examined. He admitted having taken some bundles of books to Tumkur overnight and kept them in the house of one N. Venkatarayappa, a - relative of S. Venkatapathiah. This fact was verified at Tumkur and it was found that these pamphlets had already been distributed to the public there. Later, a copy of this pamphlet received

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received in the Office of the Superintendent of Police, Tumkur, and another copy which was received by a private person Mr. R. Venkata Rao, Merchant Tumkur Town were forwarded to me by the District Superintendent of Police, Tumkur District.

As there was strong suspicion and information was forthcoming that some copies of the above mentioned pamphlet and the photo blocks of the printed pictures contained in the pamphlet entitled " No-Tax Campaign in Karnatak," were in possession of Mr. S. Venkatapathiah, his house was also duly searched; and in the same connection, the houses of Messrs. S.R.S.Raghavan, Proprietor of the Indian Press and C. Aswathanarayan Rao, Proprietor of the Makkalapusthaka Press were also searched. It is clear from the material in hand, that Mr. S. Venkatapathiah is the chief inspirator, at whose instance most of these unauthorised pamphlets are being printed in the local presses, for distribution abroad.

In this case, it has been possible to secure the direct evidences of two persons who are working in the Indian Press and the Makkalapusthaka Press. As they stated that they were personally aware of the pamphlets entitled " No-Tax Campaign in Karnatak " being printed in the Indian Press and the Makalapusthaka Press, and as their evidence was very valuable, their statements were got recorded before the First Class Magistrate, under - Section 164 Cr.P.C.

In order to adduce further circumstantial evidence, to prove that the pamphlet entitled " No-Tax Campaign " was actually printed in these presses, some paragraphs of the said pamphlet were got printed in the Indian Press, with the same types that were used in printing the said pamphlet, with the help of the Compositors of the Government Press, and the proofs so produced and the pamphlet have been forwarded to the Superintendent - Government Printing, for pruposes of comparing and opinion as to whether the types used in both cases are the same. In my opinion " 10 and 12 Point " types have been used in printing this pamphlet and the types now found in the Indian Press appear to me to

to be the same.

Copies of the books seized have been sent to the District Magistrate, and the Registrar of Authorized Publications in Mysore in order to ascertain whether copies of these books have been received in their Officer, as required under Section 9 of the Newspaper and Printing Press Regulation.

In the course of investigation, it was found that the photo blocks were got prepared in Messrs. N. Yejaman & Sons; and the photographs for the purpose were provided by Mr. T. T. Sharma of the Viswakarnataka Press and one T. R. Shamanna, gave these blocks to the Indian Press.

Further investigation is promptly proceeding, and after all available evidence is collected, the Superintendent Government Press will be requested to place the final prosecution report against the Proprietors of these presses, before the City Magistrate.

Copy of the foregoing is submitted to the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, for favour of information.

SD/- C.M.H.Ranajodha Singh,

Superintendent of Police,
Bangalore City.

" C o p y "

Deputy Commissioner
&
District Magistrate,
Bangalore District.

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Copy of report No. C.C. 367/32-33 dated the 21st March 1933, from the District Superintendent of Police, Bangalore City to the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

Cases under Sections 3 & 9 read with sections 12 and 16 of the Mysore Newspaper and Press Regulations.

In continuation of this Office letter No. C.C. 367/32-33 dated the 6th March 1933, in connection with the investigation of offences under Sections 3 and 9, read with sections 12 and 16 of the Mysore Newspaper and Printing Press Regulations, committed by the Proprietors of the Indian Press and the Makkalapusthaka Press, I have the honour to submit as follows:-

Under Orders of the City Magistrate, cases were registered under Sections 3 and 9, read with Sections 12 and 16 of the Mysore Newspaper and Printing Press Regulations, against the Proprietors of the Indian Press and the Makkalapusthaka Press, for not having printed the names of the Printer and the Press on the Pamphlet styled " NO-TAX CAMPAIGN IN KARNATAK, A Brief Survey" which was partly printed at the Indian Press and partly printed in the Makkalapusthaka Press. When searches were conducted in these two presses, the following pamphlets were seized among - others.

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A list of these books and pamphlets were sent to the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District and the Registrar of Authorized Publications in Mysore, to find out if copies of these had been sent to them, as required by Section 19 of the Mysore Press Regulation, and replies were received that none of these copies had been received in either of these Offices.

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Mr. R. Venkata Rao, Merchant Tumkur Town were forwarded to me by the District Superintendent of Police, Tumkur District.

All the evidence collected in the course of the investigation, was placed before Mr. B. Puttiah, Registrar of Authorized Publications in Mysore, and as there was sufficient evidence to prove the above mentioned offences, the Registrar placed four - prosecuting reports, two against each of the two presses, for offences under Sections 3 and 9. read with Sections 12 and 16 of the Mysore Newspaper and Press Regulation, befofe the City - Magistrate, Bangalore.

I request you to kindly instruct the Public Prosecutor Bangalore Division, to appear and conduct the prosectuion in the above mentioned cases, as they are very important cases.

" C o p y "

Deputy Commissioner
&
District Magistrate,
Bangalore District.

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No. R. A. P. 57 Encome. Law 125-32 5140/P 12

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF AUTHORIZED PUBLICATIONS IN MYSORE.

Bangalore, dated.....the...23rd..Mar.....19 33.

FROM

B. PUTTAIYA, ESQ., B.A.,
Registrar of Authorized Publications in Mysore, Bangalore.

To

CHIEF SECY Law 24 MAR 33

N. Madhava Rao, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

SIR,

Note
Reply
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In continuation of this office letter No: 54 of yesterday's date reporting about the complaints launched against the Proprietor and Printer of the Indian Press and Makkalapustuka Press, Bangalore City, I have the honour to submit herewith for favour of perusal copy of letter No: 43/32-33, dated the 21st instant received from the Public Prosecutor, Bangalore Division, and to request that sanction may kindly be accorded for the Public Prosecutor conducting the cases in the Court.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

B. Puttaiya
Registrar of
Authorised Publications in Mysore.

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D.v.s.

" Letter No: 43/32-33, dated 21st March 1933,
from the Public Prosecutor, Bangalore Division, Bangalore,
to the Superintendent, Government Printing, Bangalore.

I presented the complains against Messrs. Aswatha-narayana Rao and two others in the City Magistrate's Court yesterday on your behalf and they are all posted to the 28th instant for return of summons. In the meanwhile, I request you to write to Government and obtain the necessary sanction.

" Copy. "

Superintendent,

Government Printing.

D.v.s.

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In all future communications please quote
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Tel. Address.—"DEPCOM"
Post Box No. 34.

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE,
BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Dated, Bangalore, the 22nd March *193* 3.

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Confidential.

FROM

K. V. Anantaraman, Esq., B.A.,
District Magistrate,
Bangalore District.

CHIEF SECRETARY 24 MAR 1933

N. Madhava Rao, Esq., B.A.,B.L.,
Chief *Secretary,*
to the Government of Mysore.
Bangalore.

SIR,

Subject:—

I have the honour to forward herewith a copy of letter No. R.A.P.55 dated 21-3-1933 with that of the enclosure from the Registrar of Authorised Publications in Mysore, Bangalore and to state that complaints have been lodged in the court of the City Magistrate, Bangalore against the Proprietors and Printers of the Indian Press and the Makkalapustaka Press, Bangalore City, for infringement of Secs.3 and 8 of Act XXV of 1867 of the Printing Presses and Newspapers Regulation.

A copy of letter No.C.C.367/32-33 dated 21-3-1933 from the City Superintendent of Police in the matter is also enclosed for kind perusal.

It will be seen from the letters that four cases have been launched, two against each Press.

The Registrar and the City Superintendent of Police, Bangalore recommend the appointment of the Public Prosecutor to conduct the cases. I agree with them and sanction of Government may kindly be accorded in the matter. I have in anticipation of sanction requested the Public Prosecutor to conduct the cases.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

DISTRICT MAGISTRATE,
BANGALORE DISTRICT.

SS/22-3-33.

Copy of letter No.C.C.367/32-33 dated 19th March 1933, from the Superintendent of Police, Bangalore City, to the Registrar of Authorised Publications in Mysore, Bangalore.

Cases under Sections 3 and 9 read with Sec.12 and 16 of the Mysore Newspaper Press Regulations.

I have the honour to state that an confidential information received to the effect, that an unauthorised pamphlet under the caption 'No-Tax Campaign in Karnataka' was printed at the Indian Press and was printed and bound in the Makkalapustaka Press, for being despatched to Madras, Bombay and other foreign places, in connection with the furtherance of the Civil Disobedience Movement, I went to the said Presses and verified the same. Orders of the City Magistrate were then obtained and cases under Sections 3 and 9 read with sections 12 and 16 of the Mysore Newspaper and Press Regulations were registered against the proprietors of the Indian Press and the Makkalapustaka Press and were investigated.

When searches were conducted in these Presses, the following printed books and pamphlets were seized under Mahazars:

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It was possible to secure direct evidence of two persons working in the Indian Press and the Makkalapustaka Press, as they stated, that they were personally aware of the pamphlets entitled 'No Tax Campaign in Karnataka' being printed in the Indian Press and the Makkalapustaka Press, and as their evidence was very valuable, their statements were got recorded before the First Class Magistrate, under Sec. 164;

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Sd/- B. Puttaiya,

Registrar of Authorised
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"Copy"

For District Magistrate,
Bangalore District.

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Letter No.R.A.P.55 dated 21st March 1933, from the Registrar of Authorized Publications in Mysore, to the ~~Deputy Commissioner~~ District Magistrate, Bangalore District.

In forwarding herewith a copy of letter No.C.C.367/32-33, dated 19th instant, received from the Superintendent of Police, Bangalore City, regarding the infringement of sections 3 and 9 of Act XXV of 1867 by the Indian Press and the Makkalapustaka Press, Bangalore City, I have the honour to state that on receipt of this information, complaints have been lodged in the court of the City Magistrate against the Proprietor and Printer of the Presses as required by rule 6 prescribed under the provision of Section 20 of the said Act published in Government Notification No.7406-Mis.2172, dated 23rd December 1899 and to request you to kindly depute the Public Prosecutor, Bangalore Division to conduct the cases in the court.

"Copy"

For District Magistrate,
Bangalore District.

SS/22-3-33.

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I request you to kindly instruct the Public Prosecutor Bangalore Division, to appear and conduct the prosectuion in the above mentioned cases, as they are very important cases.

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K V Ananthanarayana

Deputy Commissioner
&
District Magistrate,
Bangalore District.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS
THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

Read:-

Correspondence ending with the letter No. R.A.P. 57 dated the 23rd March 1933 from the Registrar of authorised publications reporting about the complaints launched against the Proprietors and printers of the Indian presses and the Makkala pustaka press under the printing press and newspapers act of 1867, the file of the City Magistrate's Court, Bangalore and soliciting sanction of Government to engage the services of the Public Prosecutor, Bangalore to conduct the prosecution in the said cases.

Letter No. J1 898/32-33 dated the 22nd March 1933 from the District Magistrate, Bangalore stating that 2 cases each against the printers and proprietors of the Indian Press and Makkala Pustaka press, have been launched for infringement of Sections 3 and 9 of Act XXV of 1867 and requesting sanction of Government to engage the services of the Public Prosecutor, Bangalore, to conduct the prosecution.

Order No. P. 5194-95/Law/25-32-3
Dated, Bangalore, 28th March 1933.

S a n t i o n e d .

General Secretary to Government.

To

The Registrar of authorised publications,
The District Magistrate, Bangalore.

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Date of issue. 28/3/ 193 3

Signed by Hon N.D.L Rao

Read— Correspondence ending with the letter no. R. A. P. 57 dated the 23rd March 1933 from the Registrar of Authorized publications reporting about the Complaints launched against the proprietors and ~~Order thereon.—No~~ printers of the Indian press and the Mokkala pustaka press under the printing press and newspapers Act of 1867, the file of the Civil Magistrate Court B'lore and Soliciting Sanction of Govt to engage the services of the Addl. P.P. B'lore

May this be—

(i) printed ?

(ii) treated as a standing order ?

(iii) published in the Gazette, English part ?

(iv) translated ?

(v) placed at the disposal of the press ?

(vi) published in the Gazette, kannada part ?

To Conduct the Prosecution
in the said Case

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under P 5194-95

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List of Enclosure

Nil

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To

The Regr. of authorized Publications
D.M. B'Lore

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No.P.5296
Law.125-32-4

5th April 1933.

The

The Public Prosecutor,

Bangalore.

In continuation of the G.O.No.P.5194-95 Law.125-32-3 dated 28th March 1933 according sanction to engage your services to conduct the prosecution in the criminal cases launched against the Printers and Publishers of Indian Press and the Makkala Pustaka Press, I am directed to request that copies of the complaints filed in the above cases and the dates to which they are posted for hearing may kindly be furnished for information of Government.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For General Secretary to Government.

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Signed by J. N. R. J. Rao

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Sir,

In Continuation of my P.O. no. P.5194-95 Law 125-32-3 dated 28th March 1933 according Sanction — to engage your services to Conduct the prosecution in the Criminal Cases ~~filed~~ launched against the Printers and Publishers of Indian press and the Natural Patriot press I am directed to request that Copies of the Complaints filed in the above Cases may kindly be furnished for information of Govt. + the dates to which they are posted for hearing

My 3/4 I have the honour to be Sir, Your most obedient servant

Sd. 3/4 for Secretary to Government

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Office of the Public Prosecutor,
Bangalore Division,
Bangalore 18th April 1933.
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Law. 125-32-5

From

The Public Prosecutor,
Bangalore Division, Bangalore.

To

The General Secretary to the Government of H.H. the
Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

GENERAL SECRETARY
No. Law

Sir,

In continuation of this office letter No.810/32-33 dated 10-4-33, I have the honour to send herewith the copies of the complaints in the criminal cases filed in the City Magistrate court against the printers and publishers of Indian Press and Makkala pustaka -- press for the information of Government.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

S Doraswamy Gr

Public Prosecutor,
Bangalore.

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IN THE C OURT OF THE C ITY MAGISTRATE, BANGALORE CITY.

C.C. of 32-33.

Complainant		Accused.
Mr.B.Puttayya, Registrar of authorised publication in Mysore.	Vs.	1. S.R.S.Raghavan 2. V.S.Narayana Rao, Proprietor, Indian Press, Bangalore City.

Under Secs. 3 & 12 of Act XXV of 1867 the - - complainant states ~~x~~ and prays as follows:-

1. The complainant is the Registrar of authorised publication in Mysore.

2. The accused are the proprietors of the Indian Press situate in Bangalore City and carry on the business of printers and publishers.

3. The accused in or about 1932 printed at - - their press a book called "In the Wake of the Indian Ordinances.

4. The said book does not contain printed on it the name of the printer as required by Sec. 3 of Act XXV of 1867.

5. By not complying with the provisions of law as aforesaid the accused have rendered themselves liable for a penalty under Sec. 12 of Act XXV of 1867.

6. The complainant prays ~~x~~ that this Honourable Court be pleased to take cognizance of the matter and deal with the accused according to law.

Registrar of authorised publication in Mysore.

List of witnesses.

1. G.Nagappa
2. S.Venkatapathayya, Advocate, Bangalore City
3. Mr. M.V.V.Naik, Inspector of Police, 'B' Division.

A further list of witnesses will be furnished later on.

IN THE COURT OF THE CITY MAGISTRATE, BANGALORE.

C.C. of 32-33.

Complainant		Accused.
Mr. B.Puttayya, Registrar of authorised publication in Mysore.	Vs.	(1) C.Aswathanarayana Rao, Proprietor, Makkala Pusthaka Press, Bangalore City. (2) S.R.S.Raghavan (3) V.S.Narayana Rao, Proprietor, Indian Press, Bangalore City.

Under Secs. 3 & 12 of Act. XXV of 1867 as amended by Regulation I of 1894 and Section 200 Cr.P.C. the complainant states and prays as follows:-

1. The complainant is the Registrar of authorised publications in Mysore.

2. The 1st accused is the Proprietor of Makkala Pusthaka Press, situate in Bangalore City and also carries on the business of booksellers, printers and publishers.

3. The 2nd and 3rd accused are the Proprietors of the Indian Press situate in Bangalore City and carry on the business of printers, booksellers and publishers.

4. The 3 accused persons printed and published a book called the "No Tax Campaign" in their presses and - - - published the same in Bangalore City and elsewhere. The 1st - accused printed a portion thereof in his press and the 2nd and 3rd accused printed the rest of the book in their press. A copy of the said book ~~is~~ annexed ~~herewith~~.

5. The said book does not bear upon it printed either the name of the printer and publisher or the place of - printing and publication as required by Section 3 of Act XXV of 1867 as amended.

6. The accused have printed and published the - aforesaid book otherwise than in conformity with the Law and are liable for punishment under Sec. 12 of the aforesaid - - Regulation.

7. The complainant prays that this Honourable Court be pleased to take cognisance of the offence and deal with the case according to Law.

Registrar of authorised publication in Mysore.

The complainant furnishes hereunder the names of the witnesses for whom summons may kindly be issued.

1. C.M.H.Ranajodhasingh, Esq., Superintendent of Police, Bangalore City.
2. Mr. M,V.V.Naik, Inspector, 'B' Division.
3. B.S. Gurubasappa
4. O.Ameerkhan
5. N.Byatappa

   } Compositors, Government Press, Bangalore.

6. G.Kantha Rao of Messrs Yajman & Sons, Bangalore City.
7. K.R.Seetharam, Manager, Viswakarnataka Press.
8. D.Rama Rao, Police Inspector, Tumkur.
9. Adirangaswamy, National type foundary, Bangalore City.
10. S.A.Sathar Bai
11. Hanumanthappa
12. Head-clerk, City Magistrate's Court - To produce the declaration signed by accused.

An additional list will be furnished at an early date.

IN THE COURT OF THE CITY MAGISTRATE, BANGALORE.

C.C. of 32-33.

Complainant		Accused.
Mr. B.Puttayya, Registrar of authorised publication in Mysore.	Vs.	(1) C.Aswathanarayana Rao, Proprietor, Makkala Pusthaka Press, Bangalore City. (2) S.R.S.Raghavan (3) V.S.Narayana Rao, Proprietor, Indian Press, Bangalore City.

Under Secs. 9 & 16 of Act XXV of 1867 as amended by Regulation I of 1894 and Sec. 200 Cr.P.C. the complainant - states and prays as follows:-

1. The complainant is the Registrar of authorised publications in Mysore.

2. The 1st accused is the Proprietor of Makkala Pusthaka Press, situate in Bangalore City and also carries on the business of booksellers, printers and publishers.

3. The 2nd and 3rd accused are the Proprietors of the Indain Press situate in Bangalore City and carry on the business of printers, booksellers and publishers.

4. The accused persons printed and published a book called the "No Tax Campaign in Karanataka" in their press on or about 12-2-33.

5. The accused did not deliver a copy of the - - aforesaid book to the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore as - - - required by Sec. 9 of Act XXV of 1867 as amended and the rules made under the said Regulation within one calendar month after the book was first delivered out of the press.

6. By not delivering a copy of the said book in manner aforesaid the accused have rendered themselves liable for punishment under Sec. 16 of the aforesaid Regulation.

7. The complainant prays that this Honourable Court be pleased to take cognizance of the offence and deal with the accused according to Law.

Registrar of authorised
publication in Mysore.

The complainant furnishes hereunder the names of the witnesses for whom summons may kindly be issued.

1. C.M.H.Ranajodhasingh, Esq., B.A., Superintendent of Police, BANGALORE City.
2. Mr. M.V.V.Naik, Inspector of Police, 'B' Division.
3. B.S.Gurubasappa
4. O.Ameerkhan
5. N.Byatappa

   Compositors, Government Press, BANGALORE.
6. G.Kantha Rao of Messrs Yajaman & Sons, Bangalore City.
7. Mr. D.Rama Rao, Police Inspector, Tumkur
8. Adirangaswamy, National type foundry, Bangalore City.
9. S.A.Sathar BAI.
10. Hanumanthappa
11. Ganny, Record Keeper, Deputy Commissioner's Office.

An additional list will be furnished at an early date.

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IN THE COURT OF THE CITY MAGISTRATE, BANGALORE CITY.

C.C. of 32-33.

Complainant		Accused.
Mr. B.Puttayya, Registrar of authorised publication in Mysore.	Vs.	1. S.R.S.Raghavan 2. V.S.Narayana Rao, Proprietor, Indian Press, Bangalore City.

Under Secs. 9 & 16 of Act XXV of 1867 the - - complainant states and prays as follows:-

1. The complainant is the Registrar of authorised publication in Mysore.

2. The accused are the proprietors of the Indian Press situate in Bangalore City and carry on the business of printers and publishers.

3. The accused in or about 1932 printed at their press a book called "In the wake of the Indian Ordinances." The book was also first delivered out of the said press - shortly afterwards.

4. The accused did not deliver acopy of the said book to the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore City as required by Sec. 9 of Act. XXV of 1867 as amended and the rules made thereunder.

5. By not delivering a copy as aforesaid the - accused have contravened the provisions of Law and have - rendered themselves liable to a penalty under Section 16 of the aforesaid Regulation.

6. The complainant prays that this Honourable Court be pleased to take cognizance of the offence and deal with the accused according to law.

Registrar of authorised publication in Mysore.

The complainant furnishes hereunder the names of the witnesses for whom summons may kindly be issued.

1. Sathar BAI.

2. Hanumanthappa

3. S.Venkatapathayya, Advocate, Bangalore City.

4. Mr. M.V.V.Naik

5. Ganny, Record-keeper, Deputy Commissioner's Office, Bangalore City.

6. C.Rajagopalachar, Manager, Indian Press.

A furtner list of witnesses will be furnished later on.

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General and Revenue Secretariat

Dated, Bangalore, 3rd May *19*33.

No. S675 Law/25-32.6

From

The *General Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.*

To

The Public Prosecutor,
Bangalore Division.

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of the copies of complaint filed in the City Magistrate's Court against the Printers and publishers of Indian Press and Nakkala Pustaka press, sent with your letter No.840/32-33 dated 20th April 1933, I am directed to request you to intimate for information of Government the progress made in the said cases on 20th April 1933 and on subsequent dates of hearing.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

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for General Secretary to Government.

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Signed by Mr N. R. J.

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No. Urgent PS675

To The PPr. B'lore

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of the copies of Complaints filed in the City Magistrate's Court against the Printer and publisher of Indian Press and Manchala Pustaka press, sent with your letter no. 540/32-33 dated 20.4.33, I am directed to request you to intimate for information of Govt the proceedings made in the said Cases on 20.4.33 and on subsequent dates of hearing

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Criminal Case No. 911 of 1932-33.

(Complaint against S.R.S.Raghavan under Sections 9 and 16 of Act XXV of 1867 in respect of the book "IN THE WAKE OF THE ORDINANCES".)

In this case four witnesses have been examined and cross examined. After examining one witness the case for the prosecution will be closed.

Criminal Case No. 912 of 1932-33.

(Complaint against S.R.S.Raghavan under Sections 3 and 12 of Act XXV of 1867 in respect of the book "IN THE WAKE OF THE ORDINANCES".

In this case three witnesses were examined by the prosecution and a charge has been framed against the accused.

The case is adjourned to 9-5-1933 for the further cross examination of some of the prosecution witnesses.

S Doraiswamy Gr
Public Prosecutor.
8-5-1933.

Criminal Case No. 909 of 1932-33.

(Complaint against Aswathanarayana Rao and S.R.S. Raghavan, under Sections 9 & 16 of Act XXV of 1867, in respect of the book "No Tax Campaign in Karnataka".)

In this case the accused's pleas were recorded on 25-4-1933 and the case posted to 1-5-1933; 3-5-33 & 4-5-33. Four witnesses have been examined for the prosecution. Some of them have been cross examined and the cross examination of the others are reserved.

Criminal Case No. 910 of 1932-33.

(Complaint against Aswathanarayana Rao and S.R.S.Raghavan, under Sections 3 & 12 of Act XXV of 1867, in respect of the book "No Tax Campaign in Karnataka".)

In this case three witnesses have been examined on 25-4-1933; 1-5-1933; 3-5-1933 and 4-5-1933. One witness has been cross examined and other witnesses have to be cross examined further on the next date viz., 9th instant.

S Doraswamy Iyer
Public Prosecutor.
8-5-1933.

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Office of the Public Prosecutor,
Bangalore Division,
Dated, Bangalore, the 26th June 1933.

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From

The Public Prosecutor,
Bangalore Division, Bangalore.

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To

The General Secretary to the Government of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Sir,

C.C.Nos.9II, 9I2 of 32-33 on the file of the City Magistrate, Bangalore (Press Cases)

In continuation of this office letter No.IOI4/32-33 dated the I6th June I933 I have the honour to forward herewith the certified copies of Judgments in the above cases for the information of Government.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Public Prosecutor.

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In the court of the city Magistrate Bangalore.

Dated the 16th day of June 1933.

present:- S. Narayana Rao Esqr M.A.(Hons) city Magistrate, Bangalore.

Criminal Case No. 912 of 1932-33.

Complainant:- Government (per Mr. B. puttaiya, Registrar of authorized publications in Mysore).

vs

Accused:- 1. S. R. S. Raghavan.

2. V. S. Narayana Rao.

Sections 3-12 of act XXV of 1867.

Judgment

This case was taken on file on 20-3-33 for offences under sections 3 and 12 of the Mysore press Act of 1867 on the complaint of the Registrar of authorized publication in Mysore printed

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on his behalf by the public pro-
secutor who conducted the case.

2. The complaint was that the ac-
cused who were the proprietors of
the Indian press situated at Ban-
galore city and carrying on the busi
-ness of printers and publishers, prin
-ted in or about 1932 at their press
a book called 'In the wake of the
Indian ordinances and that that
book did not contain printed
on it the name of the printer
as required by Section 3 of the said
act. The accused were therefore
liable to the penalty prescribed
under section 12 of the act.

Three witnesses were examined for
the prosecution and two for the
defence

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defence. The printing of Ex. P1 by the accused is admitted and it is therefore unnecessary to refer to that portion of the prosecution evidence. P.W. 3 the Head clerk of this office has filed the declaration signed by the accused S.R.S. Raghavan. It may be stated here by the way that the prosecution dropped the 2nd accused as he was said to be in jail reserving his case for another trial.

P.W. 2, the Registrar, spoke to his complaint. He was subjected to a lengthy cross examination to show that books printed at the Government press also did not contain the names of the printers as also other

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books received from several prin-
ters and registered in his office
register that in the column name of
the printer only the name of the
press had been noted in his
register and that witness had
not prosecuted persons who had
not printed their names, witness
admitted that in the exhibits
filed in court by the defence
only the name of the press had
been printed and that that was
generally considered sufficient
in the past.

The accused admitted when exa-
mined that he was the printer
of the Indian press and had
made a declaration as such in

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this Court and also that he
had printed Ex. P1. He had printed
the name of the press on the
back cover and he had consi-
dered it sufficient compliance
with the Law. Other presses were
doing likewise and he was not
guilty of any offence.

As a prima facie case had
been made out, a charge was
framed against the accused under
sections 3 and 12 of the Mysore
press act XXV of 1867 to which he
pleaded not guilty and entered
upon his defence after the fur-
ther cross-examination of some
prosecution witnesses. The accused
also filed a written statement

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when he was examined after the further cross examination of P.Ws. He repeated what he had said in his previous examination and added that the prosecution was due to his political activities.

D.W.1 Superintendent of the Bangalore press spoke to the books Ex. D1 and D2 printed in his press and said that the imprint there viz printed at the Bangalore press was the form used by him for all the books printed there and no one had pointed out that it was wrong. He thought it was correct and he did not verify if it was otherwise. D.W.2 the proprietor of the phoenix press spoke

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to the book Ex. D5 having been
printed by him and the imprint
thereon was the phoenix printing
press. He also printed the Mysore
Law Journal Ex. D4 and on it he
had added "printed at" to the
imprint. He had not been told
by any one that his imprint
was incorrect and he did not
Verify if it was allright.

Section 3 of the Mysore press
Act says that every book or paper
printed within Mysore State have
printed on it legibly the name
of the printer and place of prin
ting and of the publisher. It is
clear therefore that in this case
as the name of the printer
has

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has not been printed on Ex. P1, 8
there has not been a sufficient
compliance with the section. the
fact that other presses have not
printed the name of the printer
and such persons have not been
prosecuted does not affect the
liability of the accused. the public
prosecutor quoted XIV Mysore chief
Court reports 253, Government of
Mysore Vs Ramachendra Rao in
which it was held that the
actual name of the printer has
to be printed under section 3
of the press act, 16 Madras 443 Queen
Empress Vs Hari Shoney and another
in which the same view was held,
2 Indian cases 978 in which also
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that view was held and it was held that other papers had not done so would not affect the conviction and intention considered immaterial the offences under sections 3 and 12 of the press act, and 1933 Rangoon page 4 where also absence of name was held to be an offence and intention immaterial. In these circumstances I find the accused S.R.S. Raghavan guilty and convict him for an offence under section 3 read with section 12 of Act No XXV of 1867.

Section 12 of the said act prescribes a fine not exceeding Rs 5000/- or simple imprisonment not exceeding

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exceeding 2 years or both indicating the seriousness with which the offence has been viewed in the act. The fact however remains that as spoken to by DWs 1 and 2 and admitted by PW 2 that ~~the~~ in several instances only the name of the press has been printed in the imprint and not the name of the printer. This is ~~an~~ an extenuating circumstance. It is not a case omission to print but it is one of defective imprint. Further in British Indian the Section had been amended reducing the fine to Rs 2000/- and imprisonment to 6 months. Though the Mysore Act has not been

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amended, it may serve as a guidance for the sentence. Considering all the circumstances, I sentence the accused to pay a fine of Rupees Two Hundred only or in default six months simple imprisonment.

In open court.

Sd/- S. Narayana Rao

16.6.33. City Magistrate

Appendix

The following witness were examined for prosecution:- pw.1 Mr. S. Venkatapathia, Advocate. pw.2. Mr. B. Puttaiya, Superintendent, Government press. pw.3. Mr. K. Venkata Rao, Headclerk City Magistrate's court, Bangalore.

The following Exhibits were marked for prosecution:- Ex. P1. One Book "In the wake

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wake of the Indian Ordinances."

Ex. P2. Declaration before the city Magistrate, Bangalore.

The following Exhibits were marked for the Defence:- Ex. D1. Book Indian and Industry. Ex. D2. Book "Child Marriage Bill". Ex. D3. Book "prama ya githa." Ex. D4. Book Mysore Law Journal." Ex. D5. Book Bronine the Beetle".

The accused was examined and charged under sections 3/12 of the press Act. He pleaded not guilty and examined the following witnesses:-

D.W.1. Mr. T. Subramanya Iyer.

D.W.2 .. C. Krishna Rao.

"Copy" B.Q.

Head Clerk

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In the court of the city Magistrate Bangalore.

Dated the 16th day of June 1933.

present:- S. Narayana Rao Esqr. M.A. (Hons), city Magistrate, Bangalore.

Criminal case No. 911 of 1932-33.

complainant:- Government (per Registrar of authorized publications in Mysore).

vs

Accused:- 1. S. R. S. Raghavan.

2. V. S. Narayana Rao

Sections 9 and 16 of Act XXV of 1867 (Mysore press Regulation).

judgment

This case was taken on the file of this court on the complaint of Mr. B. puttaiya, Registrar of authorized publications in Mysore pre-

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presented on his behalf by the
public prosecutor on 20-3-33 for
an offence under section 9 read
with section 16 of Act no: XXV of 1867.
The complaint was that the ac-
cused who were the proprietors
of the Indian press situated in
Bangalore city and who were carry
-ing on the business of printers
and publishers printed at their
press, in or about 1932 a book
called In the wake of the Indian
Ordinances which was shortly
after delivered out of the press
and did not deliver a copy of
the said book to the Deputy Com-
missioner, Bangalore District as
required by section 9 of the said

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Act as amended and rules framed thereunder. By not delivering a copy as aforesaid the accused had rendered themselves to the penalty prescribed under section 16 of the said Act.

The 2nd accused was dropped by the public prosecutor as he was said to be in jail, his case being reserved for a separate trial. The case was therefore proceeded with only against the 1st accused who plead not guilty when the complaint was read over and explained to him.

Five witnesses were examined for the prosecution. PW.1 Mr Venkatarathnaiya deposed that he had written a portion

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portion of the book - In the wake of the Indian ordinances - Ex. P1, and compiled a portion. It was printed at the Indian press Balepet of which the accused were the ~~owners~~ sole proprietors. The printing was entrusted to them in october 1932 and witness got the first instalment on 4-11-32, the last instalment being taken delivery of before the end of the year. 1000 copies of Ex. P1 were got printed by him for which he paid Rs 106/-.

PW 2 is a clerk in the Judicial Branch of the Deputy Commissioner's Office Bangalore. He deposed that it was his duty to register all books received at the office under the Press

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st&t. Since october 1932 he had not received Ex. P1 as could be seen from the register which he had brought (Ex. P2) and he did not also remember having received it.

P.W. 3 the Registrar of authorized publications said that he filed the complaint in this case and that the Deputy Commissioner had sent word with the District Superintendent of police Bangalore that he might file it. witness wrote a letter to the Deputy Commissioner that he had filed the complaint Ex P3 was a copy of that letter which he (witness) sent to the public prosecutor. Ex P4 was the letter of the Superintendent of police dated

dated 15-3-33 confirming the oral authorization communicated the same day.

P.W. 4, the Head Clerk of this court produced the declation (Ex. P5) signed before this court by the proprietors of the Indian press ie the accused.

P.W. 5, Mr. Ranajodh Singh, District Superintendent of police, Bangalore city, deposed that Ex. P1 had been given to him by the police Inspector a month before the lodging of this complaint and not finding the name of the printer on it, he took it to the Deputy Commissioner and told him that on enquiry he had found that a copy of it had not been received in his (Deputy

Commissioner's) office. The Deputy Commissioner authorized the taking of action against the accused under the press Act and witness communicated it orally to P.W. 3 who wanted confirmation by a letter. Witness accordingly wrote Ex. P4.

The accused stated when examined that he was innocent and would submit a written statement in which he stated that a copy of Ex. P1 was sent by post to the Deputy Commissioner by the manager of the press on the 14th November 1932 and complained that the prosecution was the result of false allegations and his political activities.

Three witnesses were examined for the defence.

Dw.1, Mr. T. Subramanya Aiyar, Superintendent of the Bangalore press said that his press was invariably sending copies of publications to the District Magistrate and in the case of copyrights two copies were sent. witness had brought the register maintain in his press showing the books and periodicals despatched to the District Magistrate, from June 1931 to 27-5-1933 and according to that register 72 books and periodicals had been so sent. The register did not show that the book "Unemployment in India printed by his press

press had been despatched and it might have been noted in some other register. The register witness had brought had been written up by some clerk. Receipts from the district magistrate's office were obtained in a separate register which had not been checked with the despatch register. out of the total number 72, 50 were periodicals and only 22 were books. Receipts from the district magistrate's office were taken for packets of books sent on each occasion. The delivery receipt did not show the names of books and it was the assistant of the witness that was actually dispat-

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dispatching the books.

Dw. 2 Mr. C. Krishna Rao, proprietor and printer of the phoenix printing press, Visweswaraiyan said he had printed the Mysore Law journal shown to him (Ex. D12) and Ex. D6 which had been also copyrighted. He was invariably sending copies to the district Magistrate but he could not say if he had sent a copy of Ex. D6. witness could not have any vouchers for having despatched his books. He had not maintained any despatch register and he could not definitely say whether any particular book had been sent or not. He was not invariably

invariably obtaining receipts from the District Magistrate's office as receipts had to be stamped and as they took a lot of time to obtain.

D.W.3, the manager of the press of the accused admitted that Ex. P1 had been printed there and said that as directed by the accused he had sent a copy of it to the Deputy Commissioner on 14-11-32 by post. witness produced a Voucher book Ex. D13) in which the entry Ex. D13(a) showed the purchase of the postage stamps for sending Ex. P1. Ex. D13(a) did not however mention the name of Ex. P1 nor was a despatch register

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maintained in his office. He did not post it himself but the binder boy or some other servant did so. Witness did not expect an acknowledgement for the receipt of Ex. P1 nor had any covering letter been sent. It had been posted as a book post. He had not written to the Deputy Commissioner and found out if Ex. P1 had been received and there was no note any where else in his press to show that it had been dispatched.

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From the trend of cross-examination of PWs, examination of DWs and arguments advanced by the counsel for the defence the main

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contentions on behalf of the accused are :- (a). That a copy of Ex.P1 had been dispatched but had been omitted to be entered in the register maintained in the Deputy Commissioner's Office. (b) That the Deputy Commissioner's authorization to the Registrar under section 16 in this case having been oral was not valid. (c). That the deposition of PW. 2 re the non-receipt of Ex.P1 did not raise an unrebattable presumption under section 114 Indian Evidence Act as before he actually received the books, they passed through the district Sheristhedar and some other officials

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and rules were not strictly observed in that office

(d) That as several books by other printers had not been sent to the Deputy Commissioner, people were led to believe that they might not send them which resulted in slackness and that it showed the bonafides of the accused who had sent two books Ex. D1 and another.

The evidence adduced by the defence to prove the dispatch of Ex. P1 to the Deputy Commissioner is hardly any evidence as the Voucher Ex. D13 (a) only mentions that Stamps worth 4 annas were purchased on 14-11-32 and no mentions made

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in of the despatch of either Ex. P1 or any other book to anyone. D.W. 3 did not say he posted it or that he obtained or tried to obtain an acknowledgment. He also said there was no other register or record in his office where this despatch had been noted. It is clear that in these circumstances, that this piece of evidence does not in the least establish the despatch alleged. As re. authorization, rule 6 of the rules framed under the press Act says that prosecutions shall be instituted by the Registrar upon information received from Deputy Commissioner's

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or other reliable source and section 16 of the act says that application to the court in such a case should be made either by the deputy commissioner or by any person authorized by him. In the absence of the word written in the act and the rules framed thereunder, it seems to me that it is not necessary that it should always be in writing and that therefore the oral authorization of the deputy commissioner in this case is not invalid. The public prosecutor quoted several authorities in support of this view, such as 7 Madras High Court

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Reports 58 in which sanction under section 167 Cr. P.C. of that day (1872) was held not to mean written sanction always. 62 Mad. Mas 3 in which it was held that sanction under section 196 Cr.P.C. need not be expressly authorized by the Local Government and that it was enough if the complaint was made on its authority, and other cases.

From the evidence of PW. 2 I think the presumption under section 114 illustration (e) of the Indian Evidence Act can be drawn that the concerned official acts were only performed. The non-receipt of Ex. P1 has been spoken to by him

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and the presumption has not been rebutted by the defence evidence.

The contention that other people did not send the books cannot, it seems to me help the accused in this case. The defence have not proved satisfactorily that anyone sent any ~~one~~ book to the Deputy Commissioner's office and that it had been omitted to be registered in that office and evidence let in by the defence to prove this cannot be considered as convincing.

It is unnecessary to consider the question of motives underlying the prosecutions, as it is irrelevant

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irrelevant to this case. Intention or motive need not be proved in cases under this Act.

I consider that a case under section 9 read with section 16 of Act XXV of 1867 has been made out against the accused S. R. S. Raghavan and I convict him for an offence under those sections. I do not see any grounds for imposing a heavy fine and I therefore direct that he shall forfeit to the Government of Mysore ~~as~~ a Sum of Rupees forty only which will be recovered as if it were a fine under section 17 of the same Act.

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Sd/- S. Narayana Rao
16/6/33. City Magistrate

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Appendix to judgment in C.C. 911
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on the file of the city Magisthate, Bangalore.

The following witnesses were examined for prosecution:- pw. 1. Mr. S. Venkata-pathaiya, Advocate, Bangalore.
pw. 2. Abdul Gani. pw. 3. Mr. B. Puttiah, Superintendent, Government press.
pw. 4. Mr. K. Venkata Rao, Head Clerk, city Magisthate's court, Bangalore.
pw. 5. Mr. C. M. H. Ranajodha Singh, D.S.P. Bangalore city.

The following Exhibits were filed for prosecution:- Ex. p1. Book in the wake of the Indian Ordinances.
Ex. p2. Register maintained in the De-puty Commissioner's office for re-gistering Books.
Ex. p3. Copy of letter from Superintendent

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Government press, to the Deputy Commissioner. Ex. P4. city D.S.P's letter to the press Superintendent. Ex. P5. Declaration before the city Magistrate Bangalore

The following Exhibits were marked for Defence :- Ex. D1. Entry against No. 136 in Ex. P II. Ex. D2. Book called "ಸ್ವಸ್ವರೂಪ ಲಿ. Ex. D3. Book called "ಸ್ವಲಿಖಿತ ಪತ್ರ ಲೇಖನ" Ex. D4. — Do — "ಶಾಲಾ ಪುಸ್ತಕ ಸಂಗ್ರಹ" Ex. D5. — Do — "ಪ್ರಬಂಧ" Ex. D6. — Do — "Brownie Beetle" Ex. D7. — Do — "ನೀತಿ" Ex. D8. — Do — "ಪ್ರಸ್ತಾವನಾ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆ" Ex. D9. — Do — "ಸಮಾಧಾನ ಪುಸ್ತಕ" Ex. D10. portion corrected C.C. 393/32-33 in Ex. P4.

Ex. D11. Letter d/ 3-12-32 from Mr. Ranajodha -Singh to Mr. H.V. Krishna Rao.

Ex. D12. Book "Mysore Law Journal"

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Ex. D 13. Voucher Book.

Ex. D 13 (a) Receipt No. 13 for purchasing Stamps.

The accused was examined and the following witnesses were examined for his defence:- DW. 1. Mr. T. Subramanya Iyer. DW. 2. Mr. C. Krishna Rao. DW. 3. C. Rajagopalachar.

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Mr. G. S. Doraswami Ayyar

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

No. P 3/5 Law 2 / Law 125-32-8

Dated, Bangalore, 18th July 1933.

From

The *General Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.*

To,

The Registrar of Authorized Publications in Mysore,

Sir, Bangalore.

In forwarding herewith copies of Judgement's in C.C.911 and 912/32-33 on the file of the City Magistrate's Court; Bangalore (Prosecutions under News Papers Act XXV of 1867), I am directed to state that it is seen from a perusal of the Judgments that the name of the printer is not given in many books including books printed in the Government Press.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For General Secretary to Government

K.M.R.2/18-7.

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File No. 12532

Serial No. 8

Diary No. of letter replied to.....

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To The Registrar of authorized Publications in Mysore

Sir,

General and Revenue Secretariat

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In forwarding herewith Copies of Judgments in C.C. 9 and 9a/1933 on the file of the City Magistrate's Court Bldr (Prosecutions under news papers Act ~~XXV~~ of 1867) I am directed to ~~draw your notice to~~ state that it is seen from a perusal of the proprietts ~~attention to~~ that the name of the printer is not given in many books including books printed in the Govt. Press.

Date of issue 20/7/33

Signed by

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~~I am hence to invite your attention to the above matter and to request you to see that no publication comes out without the printer's name.~~

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OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT,
GOVERNMENT PRINTING IN MYSORE, &
Registrar of Authorised Publications,
Bangalore, dated 16th August 1933.

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FROM

B. SRINIVASA IYENGAR, ESQ., B.A.,
Ag. Superintendent, Government Printing, & Registrar of
Authorised Publications, *Bangalore.*

GENERAL SECRETARY 17 AUG. 1933 No. Law

TO

H.V. Ramaswami, Esq., M.A., B.L.,
Secretary to Government,
General Department, Bangalore.

SIR,

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With reference to your letter No: P. 315/Law, 125-32-8, dated the 20th July 1933, forwarding therewith copies of Judgments in C.C. 911 and 912/32-33 on the file of the City Magistrate's Court, Bangalore, and pointing out that the name of the Printer is not given in many books including books printed in the Government Press, I have the honour to state that the imprint prescribed in Section 3 of part II of Act XXV of 1867 is now being printed on publications printed in the Government Presses in this form Bangalore- Printed at the Government Press: Mysore- Printed at the Government Branch Press (year)". This differs slightly from the form adopted at the Government Press, Madras, which is in the following form. " Madras- printed by the Superintenden Government Press, (year)". A copy of letter No: Mis, dated 10th Aug. 1933, received from the Superintendent, Government Press, Madras in this connection is herein enclosed for kind reference. In view of the provisions of Section 3, part II of the Printing Presses and News papers Act, I beg to suggest that our imprint may be modified so as to conform to that adopted in the Madras Government Press, which seems to satisfy the requirements of Law. I request to be kindly informed whether this will do or whether the actual name of the Superintendent, or other officer in charge has to be printed on the publications.

I solicit the favour of an early reply in the matter.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

B. Srinivasa Iyengar
Registrar.

Y.J.S.

Letter No: M1s, dated 10th August 1933 from the Superintendent, Government Printing Press, Madras, to the Superintendent, Government Printing and Registrar of Authorised Publications, Bangalore.

Ref:- Your letter No: R.A.P. 11, dated 31-7-1933.

This Press is not exempted from the operation of the provision in section 3 part II of Act No: XXV of 1867.

All book work including Bulletins, leaf-lets, etc., bound Annual Reports, Proceedings of the Madras Legislative Council, Establishment lists, Gazettes and other publications, which are placed for sale to the public, bear the imprint to conform to the Law on the subject and it is in the form " Madras-Printed by the Superintendent, Government Press, (year). Where there is a title page or cover, the imprint is printed at the bottom and in other cases on the last page of the work. School books printed here are treated in a similar way.

The imprint is omitted in Government Orders, Boards, Proceedings, Confidential papers, General Forms, covers, Labels etc., as they apparently do not fall under " Book " as interpreted in section I of the Act.

Sd/ A.Lepper,
Superintendent,

" C O P Y "

Ag. Registrar of
Authorised Publications.

Y.J.S.

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No. P 1247/Law 125-32-10

From

The Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Genl. and Rev. Depts. xxxxxxx / Bangalore.

To

The Superintendent,
Government Printing, Bangalore.

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11th September xxx 1933.

Genl. and Rev. Secretariat.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.R.Ap.32 dated 16th August 1933, regarding the form of imprint to be used on Government Publications, I am directed to state that the imprint may be in this form " Bangalore - Printed by the Superintendent, Government Press" It is not necessary that the name of the Superintendent should be printed.

I have the honour to be,

S i r,

Your mostobedient servant,

for Secretary to Government,
General Department.

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File No. 125-32

Serial No. 1.0

Diary No. of letter replied to .....

No. P 1247/

To

The Supt Govt. Printing

Sir,

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 12/9/33

Signed by [illegible]

With reference to your letter no. R. Ap. 32 dated 16th Aug 1933 re: the form of imprint to be ~~printed~~ used on Govt. Publications, I am directed to state that the ~~insertion of~~ imprint may be in the ~~see 3 of Act XXV of 1867 is to~~ form "..." ~~inform the public who the responsible~~ It is not necessary that ~~printer is and to convey that~~ the name of the Superintendent ~~should appear on the face of the paper~~ should be printed. ~~I am therefore to request that~~ ~~the matter noted from which~~ ~~for the requirement of the section~~ may be adopted in future.

I have etc

Bangalore — Printed by the Superintendent, Govt Press.

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OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT,
GOVERNMENT PRINTING IN MYSORE, &
Registrar of Authorised Publications in Mysore
Bangalore, dated.....the 2nd Sept., 1933.

FROM

B. SRINIVASA IYENGAR, ESQ., B.A.,
Ag. *Superintendent, Government Printing*, & Registrar of
Authorised Publications in Mysore, *Bangalore.*

To

H. V. RAMASVAMI, ESQ., M.A., B.L.,
Secretary to Government, Genl. Department,
Bangalore.

SIR,

GENERAL SECRETARY 2 SEP 1933 No

I have the honour to invite your kind reference to this office letter NO: R.A.P. 32, dated the 16th ultimo and request to be kindly informed if the imprints now being printed on

GENERAL SECRETARY 11 SEP 1933 No

Government publications may be modified on the lines adopted by the Madras Government Press as reported in my above letter.

Has not the reply is need?
11.9.33

The favour of an early reply is requested.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

B. Srinivasa Iyengar

Ag. Registrar of
Authorised Publications in Mysore.

Issued today.
The progress of the remaining 2 cases will be watched.
ISD 14/9

At what stage are these two cases now?
13/9/33

14. SEP.

D.V.S. Dft calling for a fortn. report is passed
RD 14/9

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

No. P 1816

Dated, Bangalore, 19th October 1933.

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From

H. V. RAMASWAMI, Esq., M. A., B. L.,
General Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

To

The Public Prosecutor,
Bangalore Division,
Bangalore.

Sir

C.C.909 and 910/32-33 on the file of the City Magistrate, Bangalore. (Press Cases)

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.226/33-34 dated the 16th October 1933 intimating that the transfer petition has been filed by the accused in the above cases, I am directed to enquire whether the said petition has been disposed of by the District Magistrate, Bangalore, if so with what result.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

for General Secretary to Government.

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

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Date of issue 21/10/33

Signed by Mr. N.N.T. Nair

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Serial No.

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To

The Pr. Blse

C.C. 909 and 910/32-33 on the file of the City magistrate, Blore (Press Case)

Sir,

With reference to your letter no. 1186/33/34 dt. 16.10.33 intimating that the transfer petition has been filed by the accused in the above case, I am directed to enquire whether the said petition has been disposed of by the D.M. Blse: if so with what result. Action proper made in the above case may

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I have enc DAL 16/10 for favour

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS
THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

Read:-

Letter No. R. A. P. 106 dated 27th February 1934 from the Registrar of Authorised Publications in Mysore intimating of the receipt of summons in Criminal Petition No.103 of 33-34 on the file of the High Court of Mysore wherein the accused in C.C.No.909 of 32-33 on the file of the City Magistrate, Bangalore, have prayed for a transfer of the case to another court and requesting instructions to issue to the Government Advocate to appear on behalf of the Registrar and oppose the application for transfer.

Order No. P 4142- 44 Law 125-32-12

Dated, Bangalore, the 5th March 1934.

S a n c t i o n e d. The Government Advocate is requested to take necessary action in the matter.

By order,

Jr. General Secretary to Government.

To

The Registrar of Authorised Publications in Mysore
The Comptroller to Government of Mysore
The Government Advocate with the original of the summons.

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File No. 125-32

Serial No. 12

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore

Date of issue..... 6/4/34

Signed by..... Mr W M J Roe

Read— Letter No. R. 1 P. 106 dated 27th Feby 1934 from the Regr of Authorised Publications in Mysore intimating of the receipt of summons in Crl Petition No 103 of 33-34 on the file of the High Court of ~~Mysore stating that he had received~~ ~~C. C. No 909~~ Order thereon No ~~of 32-33 on the~~ file of the ~~City Magistrate Bangalore~~ to another court ~~(Press Code)~~ requesting instructions ~~&c~~ issue to the Govt Advr ~~Bangalore to be~~ to appear ~~in the Case~~ on behalf of the Registrar & ~~Case~~ Office to take ~~such~~ further action

Appln for transfer

D. No P. 4142-44 6/4/34

Sanctioned. Magistrate requested to take necessary action in the matter accordingly. WMJR 6/4

May this be—

(i) printed ? ~~Not~~

(ii) ~~transferred~~ treated as a standing order ?

(iii) published in the Gazette, English part ?

(iv) translated ?

(v) placed at the disposal of the press ?

(vi) published in the Gazette, kannada part ?

of Mysore wherein the accused in CC No 909 of 32-33 on the file of the city magistrate Bangalore, have prayed for a transfer of the case to another court and

To the Regr of Authorised Publications in Mysore

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" Govt Advr with original of the summons.

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No. R. A. P. /31/

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Office of the Registrar of Authorized Publications in Mysore.

Bangalore, dated the 9th May, 1934.

Law 125-32-13

From

B. PUTTAIYA, Esq., B.A.,
Registrar of Authorized Publications in Mysore, Bangalore.

To

M. Venkatanarasappa, Esq., B.A.,
Secretary to Government, Development Department,
BANGALORE.

10 MAY 1934

Sir,

I have the honor to state that a summon in Crl. petition No. 115/33-34 has been received by me from the Registrar, High Court of Mysore, Bangalore, with his letter No. 890, dated the 3rd instant to appear at the High Court on 4th June 1934 in person or by Advocate. The original summons has been returned to the High Court duly served and the duplicate copy is herewith submitted for kind perusal. I request that the summons may kindly be transmitted to the Government and sanction may be kindly accorded for the Government Advocate Advocate to appear in the above case and take all further action in anticipation of Government Sanction. I have requested the Government Advocate to kindly appear and conduct the case at the High Court on the 4th proximo. As I am retiring from service in June, my successor will look after the case in future.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Registrar.

MGS.

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the Maharaja of Mysore.

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R E A D:

Letter No.R.A.P. 131 dated 9th May 1934 from the Registrar of authorised Publications forwarding duplicate of the Summons received by him in Crl. Petition 115/33-34 on the file of the High Court of Mysore (S.R.S.Raghavan Vs.Mr.B. Puttaiya)relating to the transfer of C.C.910/32-33 from the file of City Magistrate, Bangalore, and soliciting sanction of Government to instruct the Government Advocate to appear on his behalf and conduct the case in the High Court.

Order No. PS-285-87 Law/25-32-14

Dated Bangalore 15th May 1934.

S A N C T I O N E D.

For General Secretary to Government.

To

The Government Advocate with duplicate summons.
The Registrar of Authorised Publications in Mysore.
The Comptroller to Government.

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

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File No. 125-32

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Date of issue 16/5/34 193

Signed by Dy Secy

Read— Letter no. R.A.P. 131 dated 9th May 1934 from the Registrar of Authorised Publications forwarding duplicate of the Summons received by him in Cr. Petition 115/33-34 on the file of the High Court of Mysore (S. R. S. Raghavan vs Mr. B. Puttaya) Order thereon.—No (relating to the transfer of C.C. 510/32-33 from the file of City Mysore B(one) and soliciting sanction of Govt to instruct the Govt. Advocate to appear on his behalf in the ~~High Court~~ and oppose the transfer application + conduct the case in the High Court

Order:— No P 5285-87

Sanctioned

May this be—

(i) printed ?

(ii) treated as a standing order ?

(iii) published in the Gazette, English part ?

(iv) translated ?

(v) placed at the disposal of the press ?

(vi) published in the Gazette, kannada part ?

To,

1) The Govt. Ad. with duplicate Summons

2) " Regr of authorised Publications

3) " Comptroller to Govt.

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16/5 Chief Secy

Revenue Secy